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In re Application of

Serial No. : 09/943,465 Confirmation No. 9422  
For : Preparation and Uses of Conjugated Solid Supports for Boronic Acids  
Applicant : Dennis G. Hall  
Filed : August 31, 2001  
TC/A.U. : 1713  
Examiner : Bernard Lipman  
Docket No. : P287-USa1  
Customer No. : 20988

The Commissioner for Patents

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**AMENDMENT/REPLY**

Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action dated January 29, 2004, a response to which was due on or before April 29, 2004. Petition to extend the time-period to June 29, 2004 so as to cover the filing date of this response is being filed contemporaneously with the filing of this communication. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.